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Dear Ms O'Donnell,

Enclosed is the affidavit of mailing of hearing notice from Anita McMannis, Managing Editor Kentucky Living and two copies of the hearing notice. This is for the period from November 1, 2003 through April 30, 2004 for Case No. 2004-00217 Blue Grass Energy Cooperative Corporation.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (859) 885-2118. As always, you're continued assistance and cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Donald Smothers".

J. Donald Smothers
Vice President, Financial Services

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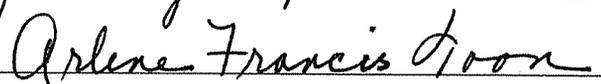
Notice is hereby given that the September issue of *KENTUCKY LIVING*, bearing the official notice of hearing of PSC Case No. 2004-00217, concerning the application of the fuel adjustment clause from November 1, 2003, through April 30, 2004, for BLUE GRASS ENERGY COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, was entered as direct mail at Danville, Kentucky, on August 27, 2004.



Anita J. Travis
Managing Editor
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State of Kentucky

Sworn to and subscribed before me, a Notary Public,
this 2nd day of September, 2004.

My commission expires January 10, 2008.


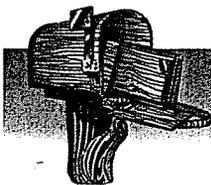
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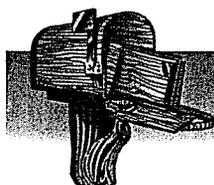
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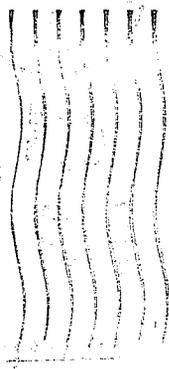
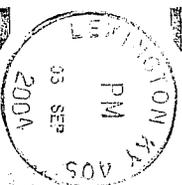
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